

MOTION BY SUPERVISOR DON KNABE

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The Girl Scouts of Greater Los Angeles is celebrating the 97th birthday of the Girl Scouts of the USA. Today, 45,000 girls, grades 8 through 12, supported by more than 22,000 adult volunteers in more than 300 communities in Los Angeles County are developing courage, confidence and character to make the world a better place.

The Girl Scout tradition builds leadership. It is apparent in the fact that 66 percent of women of professional achievement were Girl Scouts. They include leaders in government, business, the arts, science, technical fields, sports, education and stewardship.

I, THEREFORE MOVE, that the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors join with its "sister" counties throughout the nation to proclaim March 8-14, 2009 as GIRL SCOUT WEEK.

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